

Amendments to the Claims:

The listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (currently amended) A digital/analog broadcast receiving device comprising:

a receiver for receiving an encoded digital/analog broadcasting signal originated from a broadcasting station;

a digital/analog decoder for decoding the digital/analog broadcasting signal received at the receiver and then outputting the signal to a display which displays an image;

a memory for storing set contents relating to ~~a various~~ to various operations of the receiving device;

a control unit for controlling the receiving device according to the set contents stored in the memory; and

an input device for inputting a user's channel selecting instruction and the set contents to be stored in the memory to the control unit, in such a configuration that the input device can be used to make settings in a setting menu including setting items for the operations by using a cursor on a screen displayed at the display, wherein:

the memory stores therein a first proficient setting mode in which the whole of setting items can be changed without any limitation ~~mainly for a~~

~~proficient user~~ and a ~~second~~ beginner setting mode in which the setting items can be changed with some limitation ~~mainly for a beginner user~~, the setting items that cannot be changed as a limitation include an all-settings clearing and the receiving device being set in the ~~second~~ beginner setting mode at the time of shipment from a factory;

the receiving device can be switched between the ~~first~~ proficient setting mode and the ~~second~~ beginner setting mode by an operation instruction sent from the input device; and

the control unit controls the device so that the setting items which cannot be changed in the ~~second~~ beginner setting mode ~~is are~~ either not displayed on the display or prevented from being selected by the input device.

2. (currently amended) A digital/analog broadcast receiving device comprising:

a receiver for receiving an encoded digital/analog broadcasting signal originated from a broadcasting station;

a digital/analog decoding section for decoding the digital/analog broadcasting signal received at the receiver and then outputting the signal to a display which displays an image;

a memory for storing set contents relating to ~~a various to various~~ operations of the receiving device;

a control unit for controlling the receiving device according to the set contents stored in the memory; and

an input device for inputting a user's channel selecting instruction and the set contents to be stored in the memory, to the control unit in such a configuration that the input device can be used to make settings in a setting menu including setting items for the operations by using a cursor on a screen displayed at the display to the control unit, wherein:

the memory stores therein a first setting mode in which the whole of setting items can be changed without any limitation and a second setting mode in which the setting items can be changed with some limitation; and

the control unit controls the device so that the setting items which cannot be changed in the second setting mode ~~is~~ are either not displayed on the display or prevented from being selected by the input device.

3. (currently amended) The digital/analog broadcast receiving device according to claim 2, wherein the second setting mode is ~~preferentially~~ set when the power is supplied to the receiving device.

4. (original) The digital/analog broadcast receiving device according to claim 2, wherein the receiving device receives a digital broadcast according to the ATSC (Advanced Television Systems Committee) standard and an analog broadcast according to the NTSC (National Television Systems Committee) standard.

5. (original) The digital/analog broadcast receiving device according to claim 3, wherein the receiving device receives a digital broadcast according to the ATSC (Advanced Television Systems Committee) standard and an analog broadcast according to the NTSC (National Television Systems Committee) standard.